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Awaits that countless army of martyrs whose ranks are constantly recruited from the victims of nervousness and nervous diseases. The price of the boon is a systematic course of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the finest and most genial of tonic nervines, pursued with reasonable persistence. Bitter, pleasant and safe, it is the only remedy which uses it, the reverse, beef extracts, nerve foods, narcotics, sedatives and poisons in disguise. "Tired nature's sweet restorer, Balm sleep," is the providential recuperant of weak nerves, and this glorious franchise being actually the consequences of sound digestion and increased vigor, the great stomachic which insures both is productive also of repose at the required time. Not unrefreshed awakens the individual who uses it, but vigorous, clear-headed and tranquil. Use the Bitters also in fever and ague, rheumatism, kidney troubles, constipation and biliousness.

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Many orators use Alcock's Porous Plasters for throat and lung troubles. Few preachers escape some affection of the voice, and many wear a fringe of beard under the chin as a protector for the delicate organs of speech. The Rev. A. A. Sheeler, of Hartley, Iowa, writes:
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Acker's Blood Elixir has been prescribed for years for all Impurities of the Blood. In every form of Scrofulous, Syphilitic or Mercurial Diseases it is invaluable. For Rheumatism, has no equal.
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The only guaranteed cure for catarrh, cold in the head, hay fever, rose cold, catarrhal deafness and sore eyes. Restore the sense of taste and hearing. Easy and pleasant to use. Follow directions and a cure is warranted. In every form of Scrofulous, Syphilitic or Mercurial Diseases it is invaluable. For Rheumatism, has no equal.
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If you Would enjoy your dinner and are prevented by Dyspepsia, use Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. They are a positive cure for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Flatulency and Constipation. We guarantee them. 25 and 50 cents.
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Persons who suffer from occasional palpitation of the heart are often unaware that they are the victims of heart disease, and are liable to die without warning. They should banish this alarming symptom and cure the disease by using Dr. Flint's Heart Remedy. At all druggists, or J. J. Mack & Co., 9 and 11 Front St., S. F.

Can't Sleep Nights, is the complaint of thousands suffering from Asthma, Consumption, Coughs, etc. Did you ever try Acker's English Remedy? It is the best preparation known for all Lung Troubles, sold on a positive guarantee at 10c., 50c.
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Probably as much misery comes from habitual constipation as from any derangement of the functions of the body, and it is difficult to cure, for the reason none likes to take the medicines usually prescribed. HAMBURG'S PILLS were prepared to obviate this condition, and they will be found pleasant to the taste of women and children. 25 cents. At all druggists. J. J. Mack & Co., proprietors, S. F.

Don't Trifle with any Throat or Lung Disease. If you have a Cough or Croup, or the children are threatened with Croup or Whooping Cough, use Acker's English Remedy and prevent further trouble. It is a positive cure, and we guarantee it. Price 10c and 50 cents.
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THE ORIGINAL SHILOH'S OINTMENT is only put up in large two-ounce tin boxes, and is an absolute cure for old sores, burns, scalds, chapped hands and skin eruptions. Will positively cure all kinds of piles. Ask for the ORIGINAL SHILOH'S OINTMENT. Price 10c and 50c. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker.

WITCH-FINDING.

Ordeal by Water Among the Tribes of Central India.

The ordeal by water is universal among the barbarous non-Aryan tribes of Central India, from the Bheels in the west country to the wild men in the almost unexplored jungles of Buxar and the far east, toward the Bay of Bengal.
Here is a description of one water-test, taken a few years ago from the mouth of an expert witch finder among the Bheels, who got into a scrape for applying it to an old woman.
"A bamboo is stuck up in the middle of any piece of water. The accused is taken to it, lays hold of it, and by it descends to the bottom. In the meantime one of the villagers shoots an arrow from his bow, and another runs to pick it up and bring it back to the place whence it was shot. If the woman is able to remain under water until this is done she is declared innocent, but if she comes up to breathe before the arrow is returned into the woman's hand she is a true witch and must be swung as such."

In the case from which this account is taken the woman failed in the test, and was consequently swung to and fro, roped up to a tree, with a bandage of red pepper on her eyes. But it is obvious that this kind of ordeal, like almost all primitive ordeals, is conducted, whereby the operator's favor becomes worth gaining. A skillful archer will shoot just as far as he chooses. Ordeal by water is the question ordinary, which may probably be constructed as an inquiry whether the water fetch or water spirit will accept or reject the witch—whether he is on her side or against her; and this seems to be the best general explanation of a world-wide custom.

Another ordeal is by heat, as, for instance, the picking of a coin out of burning oil. But the question extraordinary is by swinging on a sacred tree, or by flogging with switches of a particular wood. Swinging before an idol, with a hook through the muscles of the back, is the well-known rite by which a Hindoo devotes himself to the god, and flogging with rods from a sacred tree manifestly adds superhuman virtue to the ordinary effect of a vigorous laying on.

In 1865 a woman, suspected of bringing cholera into the village, was deliberately beaten to death with rods of the castor oil tree, which is excellent for purging witchcraft. It is usual also to knock out the front teeth of a notorious witch; the practice appears to be connected with the belief, well known in all countries, that witches assume animal shapes; for in India they are supposed occasionally to transform themselves into wild beasts—a superstition analogous to our European lycanthropy. A good many years ago there was an old man practicing as a physician near Singar, in the Himalayas, who was notorious as a sorcerer, in so much that his reputation of having leoparded many persons, under the form of a tiger, cost him most of his teeth, which were extracted by the sorcerer who had that peculiar art to render him less formidable during his constant metamorphoses.

Shaving the heads of female witches is very common among the tribes much infested by sorcerers. It is employed as an antidote, not merely as a degrading punishment, so that one is tempted to trace its origin to some remote notion of power residing in the hair, and thus, even back toward Samson, to Circe, with the beautiful locks, and to the familiar levity of early Christian times, who are said to have a peculiar attachment for women with fine tresses.

A Froze Poem.

Softly the moon shined its silvery light upon the evening air.
The difference between the moon and a goose is, that the goose sheds feathers. This is less romantic, probably, but good goose feathers are worth 70 cents a pound more or less.
They stood beneath the silent stars, Arthur and Evangeline; not the goose and the moon. She in the glory of young womanhood, and he in a \$50 suit of clothes.

It is astonishing what trust tailors put in manhood.
"Oh, Arthur," she said, "let us flee from this place; from the wrath of an angry father and the torturing taunts of a mercenary mother."

At this season, she should have said: "Let us mosquito from this place, eh?" but a young woman in love can't tell a flea from a mosquito, and we must not censure too severely.
"Ah, Evangeline, would that it were possible."
"But it is possible, Arthur. We can fly beyond the sea, the deep blue sea, which lies between us and happiness, and beneath the sunny skies of Italy in the dolce far niente of that lovely land we may build about us a beautiful palace whose foundation shall be love, and whose superstructure shall be the perfection of earthly bliss."

The girl had spent all her chewing gum money on 10-cent novels, and all her time in playing Pauline in an amateur dramatic club.
"Ah, darling, the picture you paint is too lovely for realization," he wailed.

Of course he knew she painted. Any fellow can tell that when he gets close to a girl.

"Why, love? Oh, Arthur, why?"
"Because, dearest," he agonized clear down to the knees of his pants. "I haven't money enough to buy tickets across the briny, and the walking on that road calls for gum shoes, which I am also unable to put up collars for during the present depressed condition of trade."

"Be trade!" she shrieked, and they parted forever.
The latest item, etc., by Edgar, etc. Shiloh's Vitalizer. Price 10c and 50c. Sold by Osburn & Shoemaker.

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THOSE WHO HAVE USED IT HAVE GIVEN SATISFACTION.

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RIO BONITO COLONY!

LANDS FAMED FOR RICHNESS

Along the Feather River.

GROVES OF MAMMOTH OAKS OF SURPASSING BEAUTY.

Best of Soils for Oranges, Lemons, Figs, Peaches, Cherries, and all Tropical and other Fruits.

RIO BONITO COLONY LANDS ARE LOCATED IN BUTTE COUNTY, California, and along the prettiest part of Feather River. They are about eight miles south of Oroville, three miles from Gridley, and two miles from Biggs, on the Oregon and California Railroad, and seventy-three miles from Sacramento. There are growing on the lands white oak trees, some of which are thirty-five feet in circumference. The soil is a rich, sandy loam, and cannot be surpassed in productivity. Citrus and all kinds of deciduous fruits ripen here to perfection. Rio Bonito Colony lands are a garden spot, and are certain to be the most popular for homes of any to be found in Central California.

Testimonials on the Land by Leading Butte County Citizens and others.

I have been over your tract of land on the Feather River a hundred times. There is no better land and no better place for a colony in the world.
JOHN S. GILSON, Real Estate Agent, Reno, Nev.

As good land as there is in Butte County.
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As fine a piece of land as there is in this country. First-class for cereals and fruits.
L. D. FREER, Judge Superior Court, Oroville.

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It will produce, without irrigation, any of the fruits grown in any part of the State of California.
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The land is now for sale in tracts to suit at \$100 per acre, on easy terms, \$25.00 cash; balance in one, two and three years at eight per cent. per annum.

Buy ticket to Biggs. Fare from San Francisco, \$5.20; from Sacramento, \$2.20. Stages from Oroville to Biggs pass the land daily. Send for circulars.

ADDRESS, PREBLE & YOUNG, Managers Rio Bonito Colony, Biggs, Butte County, Cal., or Reno, Nevada.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN, 1300 ANGORA GOATS.

600 OF THEM THOROUGHLY BREEDS the best high-grades, terms easy— one-half cash, the balance in six months at one percent. per month with approved security. The goats can be seen near Summit, Plumas Co., Cal.

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Painter & Baker, keeps a full line of FAMILY GROCERIES and FRESH VEGETABLES.

Orders delivered at residence free of charge.

Dissolution.

NOTICE is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between J. O. Twiss and O. H. Stoddard, under the firm name of Stoddard & Twiss in the management of the Lake House, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. O. Twiss retiring. O. H. Stoddard will continue the business, collect outstanding accounts and pay all bills.

J. O. TWISS, O. H. STODDARD.

Dated Reno, December 31, 1887.

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Estray Found.

CAME TO MY PLACE THREE months ago, a buckskin colored horse with black mane and tail, and four or five dollars in a liver. A liberal reward will be paid to the finder by leaving it at the Gazette office.

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A NICELY FURNISHED ROOM to rent, with or without board, in a private family. Location west side of West street, two doors north of Second.

Wanted.

A COMPETENT LADY, A SITUATION in an hotel as waitress, chambermaid or housekeeper. Address M. W. Thompson, this office.

Lost.

A SMALL buckskin purse containing twenty dollars in gold and four or five dollars in a liver. A liberal reward will be paid to the finder by leaving it at the Gazette office.

Miss Carrie B. Corns

(Graduate of the Royal Academy of Music, London.)

IS PREPARED TO RECEIVE PUPILS (Piano and Singing) at her residence, Mr. W. K. Chamberlain, Third street, Reno.

Miss Corns desires to state that she has recently taught in Louisville and vicinity, and brings with her many testimonials from the parents of former pupils. She refers, by permission, to Mr. D. C. Cole, Mount in House, Miss L. E. Ely, Mr. Stanley Smith, District Attorney, Sierra County, Mr. Berry, County Clerk, Mr. Vaughn, Mountain Messenger, Mr. J. Thacker, Messrs. Cohn & Co., Mercantile Co. and others.

TERMS—Lessons of one hour, \$1. Special arrangements for families or those taking more than one lesson weekly.

Art Notice.

THOSE WISHING TO HAVE A GOOD portrait made in either oil or water color should lose no time in calling upon me, as I shall leave town on an early day.

J. B. MOORE, Art st.

Notice

IS hereby given that I will, on and after the first day of January, 1888, deliver my own in 10c, and my own bills and have no partner in the business.

G. E. FICKE.

Dancing School.

S. D. UPSON will hold a regular dancing school every Tuesday and Friday evening at Armory hall. Best of music in attendance.

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AGENCY of the following piano and organ companies, viz: Chick & Co., of New York; Esley, of New York; Knabe, of Baltimore; Chickering, of Boston; Vose & Sons, of Boston; Gilbert & Co., of Boston; Frig & Co., of Boston; Smith American, of Boston; Coll & Co., of Chicago; Cornish & Co., New Jersey.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 12, 1888

It is more and more apparent every day that foreign immigration is not desirable. The Boston Herald says there was a time when we were greatly in need of the assistance of foreigners for the development of our country, and when there were work and land for all who chose to come. But, although there are still opportunities here that are not vouchsafed elsewhere, they are becoming reduced, both in quality and quantity, so that we cannot afford to be as generous in our reception of newcomers as we were a generation or two ago. There is another fact worth taking into account—that, in the days of our grandfathers, there was a general entertained opinion that all that was needed to make of a foreign immigrant a full-fledged American citizen, ardent desirous to perpetuate our institutions, was to breathe the free air of America. Experience has shown this to have been a delusion. The democratic institutions of the United States are the outgrowth of peculiar conditions and of special and inherited experiences. To merely declare that a government is a republic is very far from making it one, as has been shown in the attempts to copy our methods made by the people of various Central and South American States. People must be prepared to be free before they can continue to be freemen, and the burden we are laying upon ourselves consists in introducing each year into our midst hundreds of thousands of men and women whose past education and experience have not prepared them to appreciate either the rights or the duties of American citizenship. Our power of assimilation has been enormous, but there is such a thing as overpressing this, and there are not a few reasons for believing that if for the next ten years we could absolutely prevent immigration until we had succeeded in masticating and digesting the foreign masses that we have already taken into our body politic, it would be immensely to the advantage of America, both in the present and in the future.

THERE is no class of men more addicted to borrowing money than farmers, says an exchange, and there is no class of men who can less easily afford to borrow. The only security they can offer for loans is the source or agencies of their living—their farms or their farm animals; and a mortgage on either of these usually ends in a foreclosure and forced sale. Farmers rarely borrow at less than eight per cent. interest—they are frequently charged ten per cent.—and the lower of these rates is more than the present low prices of farm crops will warrant. There is not one farmer in ten whose year's operations yield him a net profit of ten per cent. on the value of his farm buildings and stock, and the farmer has to contemplate the constant risk of unfavorable seasons, insects and sickness in the busy period, which may destroy all profit and leave him nothing at the end of the year. One of the best lessons for a farmer to learn early in life is to live within his income, pay as he goes and keep out of debt. A mortgaged farm in general belongs more to the mortgagee than to the farmer. The latter is really a tenant paying rent for the privilege of living on his own farm.

The New Haven Palladium says Mr. Cleveland having pitched his so-called "reform principles" overboard—having indorsed "spoils" in Massachusetts and "buddie" in New York—having slapped the independents in the face, kicked them out of doors, and poured slops on their heads as they retreated past the kitchen window—has now won the hearty and cordial support of the Sun. And, despite a little posterior soreness and a little all-over dampness caused by his last retirement of them, the Mugwump will love him just the same.

A BILL has been introduced in the Senate providing for the appointment of an inspector of Indian schools, who is to have direct superintendence of all the schools now established throughout the West. The inspector is to be empowered to discharge teachers, abolish schools, and otherwise take charge of the education of the Indian youngsters.

John A. Benson, the San Francisco surveyor, under indictment for swindling the government by means of false and fraudulent surveys of public lands in California, has been apprehended at Copenhagen, Denmark, and will be shortly returned for trial.

(PRESS DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.)

CLARA BELLE'S STORY.

Her Lawyer Tells What Drove Her to Desperation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—When the trial of Clara Belle McDonald was resumed this morning, Charles B. Darwin made the opening statement for the defense. He showed that Clara Belle had been in constant fear that her child would be stolen, and that this fear had worked her into a state of insanity, and that when she had gone to see the doctor on the night of October 20th she had no idea of killing the doctor; and that when she had drawn the pistol the doctor grabbed her; and that she was in as much fear of the doctor as the doctor was of her, and that there was as much possibility that the doctor had shot off the pistol as that it was done by Clara Belle; that he would prove before he got through that the defendant had a lingering sort of insanity; that she would show that, on April 29, 1885, she had borne a child, which had injured her very much; that she had a very severe operation performed upon her, called the Emmet web, and that this predisposed to insanity. He said: "We will first prove to you these predisposing causes which were established on April 29, 1885, and that the exciting causes commenced then, because the husband was not so humane as he should be. We can make excuses for the young man, though he forced her to gratify his wishes when she was suffering the utmost anguish. Well, this excited the woman against the husband. * * * We also find that, from being parsimonious, she became a spendthrift. We also find that, from liking her husband and being affectionate toward him, her love turned to disgust. Now, do you believe that the doctor wanted to commit incest with his daughter? If she takes the witness stand and she will swear that he asked her to have sexual relations with him; that she wrote her husband 'let him, and we will have a hold on him.'"

"Now, I will prove that he palmed off on her a bogus marriage, and that once he wanted her to sign a blank paper, which would have said that she had been his mistress, and that she had served him for so much a month. "Another delusion she had was that her husband gave her a foul complaint. She said that to her medical men, that her husband, on his return, had inoculated her with this complaint. She believes 'now, and will swear to it now. This Christian young man told her that he had a cold, and that this cold was all. If I were not in a courthouse, I should say that he should be shot."

"Another thing I claim a delusion, is that she believed that her husband's folks were trying to steal her child; but still she put guard over the child, and armed herself against their threats. She needs help. She looks around her and sees a man, and she finds what you may call an adventurer, and she gives him everything. She piles up clothing on him. She sells the house on Lake Tahoe to him, she conveys the furniture of 813 Sutter street to him, she gives him a power of attorney; she even gives her child to him. She gives everything to him—and then, such a consummate ass is she that she thinks she has to protect him from the enraged people. She goes that night to the Baldwin to protect Swalm, and so she confides in that man that she has not got a dollar in the world."

"There are men who will come and say that she is crazy. General Barnes will say that her husband went round to the papers and said that she was crazy, and the reporters will swear to that. "Now it was agreed, on October 17th, that there should be an adjournment in the case, but Dr. McDonald at once said that this should not be—that she must go out branded as a harlot, and that her child must be taken away from her. The 20th came soon, and she went there. We are to be thankful that no harm was done—there was just a slight burn, and is that not enough to send a woman to the penitentiary? Is that enough cause, and he a Christian gentleman! Does he want her punished, or does he want a free divorce for his son?"

Darwin closed, and the work of examining witnesses was resumed. A medical expert, Dr. George E. Davis, Warren Olney, a lawyer, and General Barnes were successively examined, and all gave testimony favorable to the insanity plea of the defense. General Barnes was still on the stand, when adjournment was taken.

The National University Bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 12.—Senator Stewart, of Nevada, introduced a bill in the Senate Tuesday to establish a National University in Washington for the education of teachers. The bill creates a Cabinet Board of Regents to manage the University, appoint a faculty and fix their compensation. Tuition, rooms, board, books, stationery, etc., are to be furnished to students free of charge. The course of education is fixed at four years. The President is empowered to appoint to the University fifty students. Each Senator and Representative and Territorial Delegate shall appoint one student, resident of his State or Territory each year. Both females and males are to be admitted, and the regents are directed to see that the membership is equally divided between the sexes. Students, while pursuing their studies in this ideal University, and after graduating therefrom, while teaching common schools, or in State or Territorial institutions maintained for the purpose of instructing students in the art of teaching, shall, in addition to any other compensation they may receive, be paid \$20 per month from the United States Treasury. Stewart says he does not relish the Blair Education bill, although he voted for it, but he thinks that it would be the better scheme to educate at the State's expense competent teachers who can instruct the literate, than to vote the sum of money to be distributed among the States, much of which might never be applied to the purpose for which it was intended.

The Dissatisfied Railroad Employees.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 11.—A conference was held to-day between the committee representing the striking employees and the Reading Railroad and President Corbin. The particulars are not yet obtainable beyond

the statement of the committee that the conference was entirely satisfactory to them.

Chinese Restriction Bill.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Representative Felton's bill to restrict Chinese immigration was informally discussed to-day by the House Committee on Foreign Affairs. Representative Morrow called attention to the necessity for some action on the subject, but the indications are that the Committee will not take it up for some time.

Recovering from His Wound.

NEVADA CITY, Jan. 12.—J. H. Boardman, who attempted to kill himself Tuesday, is recovering. The bullet has been removed. It was a 22-calibre, and did not produce fatal injury, failing to penetrate the brain.

Against Bucket Shops.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—It is announced that the Stock Exchange has come out bodily against bucket shops, and that a fund of ten thousand dollars has been raised to carry on the warfare.

CARSON GOSSIP.

Doings of the Dealers of the Capital City.

Regular Correspondence GAZETTE.]

CARSON, Jan. 11, 1888.

EDITOR GAZETTE.—The past week has been a very quiet one. Presumably the fact of the mercury trying to lose itself for some days had something to do with it. Notwithstanding the barometer has been raising, the effect on the kitchen stoves have been carefully estimated to have maintained its usual normal demand on the wood piles. The Board of Pardons met on Monday and had to engage their attention 33 gentlemen who had been on bad terms with the law—some of them two terms—and who desired to practically test for themselves the state of the mercury and the severity of the Winter. The Board denied twelve, postponed sixteen and pardoned five.

Our aboriginal friend, One-Armed Jim, will not perform the "dull thud" act until he takes another notion to kill someone. Hope it will be the man who says these freezing mornings: "Well, ain't this a lallah?" The every-man-a-statesman-club has been discussing the qualifications of Secretary Lamar to a position on the Supreme bench. The absolute knowledge of this club would surprise the Judiciary Committee of the Senate. But the people's loss is our gain, and we are in possession of the honorable gentlemen's opinions on the amendments to the constitution—weeks ago, perhaps years, before they will be called for in the natural channel of the law.

The leap year party this week promises to be well patronized as it will be the only opportunity overture, so to speak, of conjugal marriages to be fulfilled the present year. May it prove a big success. The members of Ormsby Lodge, A. O. U. W., gave a public installation to their friends last evening, which was well attended. P. G. M. J. G. Harlow installed the officers, and in a most impressive manner made the tenets of the order plain to the uninitiated, and to those who know the mystic symbolism of the workmen it must indeed have been a treat. The following programme of exercises was carried out: Instrumental solo, Mrs. Dorsey; solo, Mrs. Crisler; address, H. F. Bartine; solo, Miss Oleovich; song, Geo. Meyers; solo, Miss Schneider; address, J. C. Harlow; solo, Mrs. Howe. S. I.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

—A fierce blizzard prevails in Minnesota to-day.

—Hon. Elihu Jackson was inaugurated Governor of Maryland yesterday.

—A sharp earthquake visited Columbia, Ohio, this morning at 9:55 o'clock.

—Senator Riddleberger has announced that he will vote for the confirmation of Laniar.

—Senator Dawes introduced a bill in the Senate to-day authorizing the appointment of a Superintendent of Indian Schools.

—Members of the Grand Army of the Republic are making preparations for a national inspection of Posts, to occur during January and February.

—Hear, in the Senate yesterday, offered a resolution requesting the President to transmit to Congress the report of the Pacific Railroad Commission.

—Edward S. Bragg, of Arkansas, has been nominated by the President for the office of Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Mexico.

—The fishing schooners, Wm. Parsons and Peter D. Smith, both of Gloucester, Mass., both carrying crews of twelve men each, have been given up for lost.

—Ringold Cooper, an American forger, has been arrested in Paris on an extradition warrant for forgery on the London and Westminster bank, by which he realized \$3,000.

—A fire at Lowell, Mass., to-day destroyed two large four-story brick buildings. The buildings were owned by the city, and occupied by the fire department and the Sixth regiment, as an armory. Loss, \$75,000.

—A fire destroyed the Fourteenth regiment armory at Columbus, Ohio, this morning. All the equipments of the regiment were destroyed. A dog fair was being held at the armory at the time, and over 300 valuable animals were destroyed. Loss, about \$110,000.

—Prof. Vaughn, a Michigan scientist, reports a successful experiment of producing in a cat a disease similar to typhoid fever in the human family, by the use of germs found in the water near by 300 victims of the scourge at Iron Mountain, Michigan.

—Sanbury, yesterday presented a resolution to the Senate declaring that no further effort can be properly made by the United States to obtain the cooperation of European governments in establishing a common rate of values between silver and gold as money laid on the table.

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550 Mexican, 4 1/2, 4 3/4, 4 1/2
270 Best & Belcher, 5 1/2, 5 3/4
180 Gould & Curry, 4 1/2, 4 3/4
540 Con Va, 19, 18 1/2, 19
650 Savage, 6 1/2, 6 3/4, 6 1/2
150 Chollar, 1 1/2, 1 3/4
425 Potosi, 5 1/2, 5 3/4
1050 Hale & Norcross, 10, 9 1/2, 9 3/4
220 Point, 6 1/2
2070 Jacket, 7 1/2, 7 3/4, 7 1/2, 7 3/4
1775 Alpha, 1 3/4, 1 1/2, 1 3/4
550 Belcher, 4 1/2
800 Nevada, 4 1/2, 4 3/4
850 Utah, 1 1/2
250 Ketchikan, 1 1/2, 1 1/4
510 S. Belcher, 3 1/2, 3 3/4
400 Challenge, 2 1/2, 2 3/4
170 Occidental, 1 1/2
100 Andes, 1 1/4
100 New York, 85c
400 Overman, 1 1/2, 1 1/4
150 Confidence, 1 1/2
300 Bullion, 1 1/2
300 Keyes, 2 1/2
510 Eureka, 8 1/2, 9, 9 1/4
100 Jackson, 1 1/2
250 Navajo, 1 1/2
300 B. I. S. I., 1 1/2
100 N. B. I. S. I., 8 1/2
250 Queen, 2 3/4, 2 1/2
200 Pondera, 5c
100 Bodie, 2 1/2
50 Mono, 1 1/2
100 C. Pacific, 20c
350 Union, 4 1/2, 4 1/4
100 Alta, 1 1/2
100 Julia, 45c
100 S. Hill, 40c

JOTTINGS.

All kinds of fresh and "salt water" fish at Coffin & Larocomb's in the morning.

Whisk, brooms, stocking doners, and all kinds of fancy baskets at Miss Gibbs.

Stylish bugles, pacific or piano box, side bar or end spring, at J. T. Longabaugh's, Reno, Nev.

From 11:30 to 2:30, J. J. Becker keeps a steaming hot lunch spread for his customers. Also the finest beer in town.

W. Pinner, the Reno druggist, has on sale in quantities to suit, matured Thistle Dew whisky for medicinal purposes.

No store shoes are equal to those made to order by H. A. Winton. His prices are very reasonable. Repairing done. Ladies' French shoes, \$4.50.

Go to Levy Bros. for all goods in the dry-goods line. Bargains can be had in dress goods, velvets, laces, embroideries, etc.

Happy and content are the Depot Hotel boarders. They are provided with everything in the market served up in the finest style of the culinary art.

You can buy groceries at Havenor's for California prices, freight added, and have the same delivered at your homes in good condition. Fresh goods every day.

Abraham Bros., the Commercial Row clothiers, have just received direct from New York, a choice line of Winter clothing, consisting of chevots, chinchilla and astrakhan goods.

C. J. Brookins is selling the 16-ounce Star tobacco for the same price that the 12-ounce has been sold. All kinds of musical instruments and organs on the installment plan.

By attending close to business and keeping just what his customers want to purchase, C. A. Thurston is doing a fine stationery and periodical trade. Velum cloth for surveyors and architects.

Eastern cream cheese, also California cream cheese, extra select oysters, all kinds of choice groceries, all kinds of dried fruits, a more's mince meat, oranges and lemons, at E. C. Leadbetter's.

BORN.

WILSON—In Hawthorne, January 10, to the wife of Andrew Wilson, a son.

GRANT—In Hawthorne, January 12, to the wife of Dr. J. W. Grant, a daughter.

MARRIED.

DAVIES—TOLL—In Virginia, January 11, by the Rev. Henry Ashton, Philip S. Davies, of Virginia, to Miss Myrtle B. Toll, of San Francisco.

The Reno Guard.

The affairs of the Reno Guard, Co. C, have been satisfactorily settled, and the interest now taken in the company by the members will no doubt soon place it at the head of our State militia. The merchants of the town have agreed to give their clerks one night a month for the purpose of drill, and will help the organization in other ways. The roster now has sixty names, and as it is the intention to have a gymnasium and reading-room at an early day it is expected that this number will soon be increased. As a matter of town pride and State duty every young man should join, and it is the intention of the officers to make a vigorous canvass for recruits.

S. Emrich's Prices.

Children's and misses' cloaks, from four to six years, plain and checked. Heavy cashmere with or without capes or hoods, \$2, worth \$4; from eight to ten years old, \$2.50, worth \$5; from 12 to 14 years old, \$3.50, worth \$7; from four to six years old, Chinchilla, \$3.50, worth \$7; eight to ten years old, Chinchilla, \$5, worth \$10; 12 to 14 years old, Chinchilla, \$6, worth \$12; from four to six years old, English Jersey Beaver, \$4, worth \$7.50; from eight to ten years old, English Jersey Beaver, \$5.50, worth \$9; from 12 to 14 years old, English Jersey Beaver, \$7.50, worth \$12.50. Ladies' cloaks and jackets sold in comparison with the above prices. Call at once and secure these bargains.

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That is to say, your lungs. Also all your breathing machinery. Very wonderful machinery it is. Not only the larger air passages, but the thousands of little tubes and cavities leading from them.

When these are clogged and choked with matter which ought not to be there your lungs cannot half do their work. And what they do, they cannot do well. Call it cold, cough, croup, pneumonia, catarrh, consumption or any of the family of throat and lung ailments and lung obstructions, all are bad. All ought to be got rid of. There is a sure way to get rid of them. That is to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which any druggist will sell at 75 cents a bottle. Even if you are thin and pale, you may expect to get well.

A NEW DODGE.

The Ingenious Manner in Which a Lawyer Presented His Case.

Before the Board of Pardons at their last session in Carson, Judge T. E. Haydon appeared in behalf of several applicants for pardon, and in presenting the claims of his clients for clemency did so in a rather novel way. One of his men was in for burglary for seven years, and the other for house-breaking for four years. Both went from this county, and Mr. Haydon wished to show the Board that the sentences were unusually severe, and having already served the State more than the average punishment imposed by the State courts upon this misguided class of individuals, his clients were entitled to a discharge. To show this he made an abstract of all the sentences imposed for burglary and house-breaking since the year 1886 to the present time, with the number of years each were sentenced, and obtained the following result: Whole number of convictions, 128; aggregate number of years sentenced, 267 1/2; average for each, 2 1/2 years. There were 45 housebreakers, sentenced for 105 years, an average of 2 1/2 years each. Of these 45 housebreakers, 18 were sentenced for 50 years, from Washoe county, an average of 3.28 years each; while 27 from other counties were sentenced for 46 years, or an average of 1.7 years each. For burglary there were 83 convictions, with an aggregate sentence of 171 years, an average of 2 1/2 years each. Of these 2 were sentenced to 14 years, and 2 for 1 1/2 years each, and 19 for 1 year each. Mr. Haydon succeeded in obtaining an unconditional pardon for his clients, and whether the figures obtained had any weight with the Board or not is, of course, not known, but whether so or not, the Judge's labor is not lost, inasmuch as he succeeded in digging up a good newspaper item.

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

Trains on time to-day.

Wood has advanced \$1 a cord.

The Truckee is still frozen solid.

Wadsworth will have a wedding this month.

When the thaw comes look out for chilblains.

It is now possible to go outdoors without an overcoat.

Residents of Reno are laying in a supply of ice for Summer use.

Navajo has been assessed fifty cents, delinquent February 10.

No criminal or misdemeanor cases before Justice Young to-day.

Three new cases of smallpox were discovered in San Francisco yesterday.

Real estate men report an active demand for houses in town, with no offers.

Wm. Cartee is under arrest at Winnemucca, charged with insanity.

The assessment of 25 cents on Utah Con. will be delinquent tomorrow.

Over 2,000 men are constantly employed in the railroad shops at Sacramento.

Mrs. Alt will give a grand masquerade ball at the Armory hall on the 14th of February.

In Ruby Valley, Elko county, the snow is reported to be from 12 to 18 inches deep, and in Mound Valley, 22 inches on the level.

There are 681 cars side-tracked on the railroad between Ogden and Reno, all of which have collected since the cold weather set in.

It is rumored that the distributing telegraph office for the sagebrush country will shortly be removed from Virginia City to Reno.

An accident is reported to have happened on the C. P. this morning, west of Truckee. As usual, nothing could be learned from the railroad officials.

There is reported to be much suffering among stock in portions of southwestern Washington Territory, owing to scarcity of feed and cold weather.

The new west-bound freight rates of the Southern Pacific, to go into effect on the 15th inst., are said to be a considerable advance on the existing rates.

An increase of over \$2,000,000 in the business of the First National Bank during the year 1897, is a straw which shows that Reno's prosperity is not on paper, as some of our esteemed contemporaries would have their readers believe.

"Bill," the artistic cook who for so long a time has tickled the palates of Comstock epicures at the Capitol rotisserie, was found dead yesterday afternoon in his cabin. He had been dead about four days, presumably of heart disease.

Mr. Ross Lewers had two fingers and one ear frozen on Monday last, says the Tribune, while attending cattle at his Franktown ranch, and an employee of Mariette & Folsom's wood yard had one hand badly frozen that amputation may become necessary.

A runaway caused some excitement on Virginia street to-day, the outfit being the property of J. J. Beaglehole. The only damage done was a broken wagon pole, and a demolished hitching post, the latter being in front of the Court-house, where the runaway ended.

The Methodist church of this city having been thoroughly repaired and refurbished, will be re-opened with appropriate ceremonies next Sabbath, 15th inst. Rev. E. W. Van Deventer, celebrated preacher will officiate both morning and evening. Go and hear him.

The monument which marks the last resting place of Foster Hamilton, in the Virginia cemetery, is universally conceded, says the Chronicle, to be the finest specimen of the sculptor's art yet created in the city cemetery. It was designed by J. M. McCormick, of Reno, and is the joint production of himself and J. M. Smith.

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MINING INTELLIGENCE.

The "Gazette's" Weekly Summary of Mining News.

A body of copper ore has been developed in the Wanderer mine, Hawthorne district.

Work in the Barcelona mine, Nye county, progresses satisfactorily, and the mine continues to look well.

Gold bullion valued at \$14,000 was recently extracted from 135 tons of ore from the Saparta mine, Humboldt district.

North Belle Isle, Tuscarora, shipped on the 7th inst. 10 bars of bullion valued at \$38,000—\$3,500 of which was gold.

The Blanco Mining Company have closed down their mines and mills at Galena for a short time, owing to the bad state of the weather.

Livingston, Montana, offers Governor Hauser a bonus of \$25,000 to have the big smelting works, which he talks of building at Helena, located in Livingston.

One from the mines at Aurum, White Pine county, pays its owners \$50 per ton in bullion after deducting the cost of transportation and reduction to Salt Lake City.

The Live Yankee Reduction Works at Winnemucca were sold on the 5th inst. by the Sheriff for \$1,476.96. The purchasers were the Joshua Handy Machine Works.

Since June 13, 1897, the Ida mine, Garfield district, has sold on the 5th inst. one to the Douglas Reduction Works at Dayton, and the average returns per ton has been \$188.

Copper has doubled in value within a short time. There is plenty of ore in Inyo county, Cal., that carries a good percentage of copper, and at present prices it would pay to mine it.

The ore from the Spanish mine, Washington township, Nevada county, is only worth sixty-five cents per ton, and is being worked at a profit. It costs the mine and mill about fifty-two cents per ton.

A great gold discovery is said to have been made near Victor, in San Bernardino county. The ledge is said to be nearly a mile long, from ten to thirty feet wide, and assays from \$10 to \$50 per ton.

It cost the owners of the Treadwell mine, of Alaska, \$500,000 before they got on a basis to make money. Alaska is said to be a good field for heavy capitalists, but not a good one for men with no money.

Electric lights have been adopted by the management of the leading Gold Hill mine, Cal., the glowy rays of Crown Point Ravine are now illuminated at night with a glare almost as bright as at noonday.

There are copper-bearing veins which have every appearance of being extensive in the hills of Nevada, within five miles of Winnemucca, and also in Gold Run district, near Golconda, Humboldt county, Nevada.

It is intimated that on the 20th inst. the North Belle Isle Mining Company will declare the first of a long series of monthly dividends at the rate of 50 cents per share. During its past the mine has paid \$30,000 in small occasional dividends.

There has been a change of management in the Pilgrim mine, of Sierra county, Cal. This was determined upon for the reason that although the mine has a strong ledge and all facilities for operating, including a steam stamp mill, the property has not paid.

A Christmas dividend of \$6,000 (ten cents a share) was distributed last week among the stockholders of the Hill Mountain Extension Company of Sierra county, Cal., most of whom are Downsville people. Thousands of dollars have been paid by this valuable property during the year.

At the annual meeting of the Pacific Stock Exchange, held in San Francisco, January 9th, the following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, Louis Marshall; Vice-President, H. A. Greene; Treasurer, R. C. Tobin; Secretary, George Uhl; Executive Committee, Theo. Lieberman, William S. Taylor and Thomas O'Connor.

In the Hidden Treasure mine, Georgetown, Colorado, less than two feet of a vein assaying as follows: First assay, 251 ounces silver, 1,185 ounces gold, \$24,534.42; second assay, 34 ounces silver, 104 ounces gold, \$2,182.65; third class, being merely the native rock, 11 ounces silver, nine ounces gold, \$196.70.

A rich strike has been made in the San Antonio district, in Southern Nevada, about forty miles south-west from Belmont. The ore was discovered in a hitherto unprospected vein in the Barcelona mine. The vein is from three to three and a half feet thick and averages from 40 to 300 ounces of silver to the ton. The vein carries a rich streak that will average \$1,800 to the ton.

At the annual meetings of the Peerless, Weldon and Combination Mining Companies, held at Tuscarora recently, the following gentlemen were elected as officers for the ensuing year: W. S. Lyon, President; Charles H. Fish, Vice President; A. W. Havens, J. B. Low and George Frier, Trustees. August Waterman was re-elected Secretary and William Fickett, Superintendent.

Arizona vs. Nevada Beef.

Arizona stockmen are disposing of their surplus beef cattle to California buyers for four cents, and offer to supply them in train-load lots for that figure. Here in Nevada the price of cattle is steadily advancing, and the buyers are taking all they can get for 6 1/2 cents up. The difference in the price is explained by the fact that Arizona cattle are noted for the mahogany consistency of their flesh, while the sagebrush cattle are equally noted for the flavor and firmness of theirs. The people of the West want the best in the market, hence the never-failing demand for our cattle.

Probably Misquoted.

Superintendent Fillmore, of the Southern Pacific, is authority for the statement that thousands of cattle have perished in the sagebrush country since the storm set in; also for the silly statement: "Engineers report that they have been obliged to stop trains, get down, and shoot cattle, and drag them out of the way before the trains could proceed." Either Fillmore has been imposed upon or he has been misquoted by the San Francisco press.

A Pointer for Nevadans.

The farmers in the vicinity of Bakersfield recently built a fence in the form of the letter V and placed a corral at the point. In a few hours thousands of jack-rabbits were driven into the corral. It was then closed and the butchery was begun. A count showed that 5,075 of the pests had been killed.

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The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank, of Reno, Nevada, was held on the 10th inst., at which 973 shares were represented. The report of the cashier, among other things, was considered the growth in the business of the bank for the past year. During the year 1896 the total business amounted to \$9,172,248, and during the year 1897 to \$11,559,208.18, an increase of nearly two and one-half million dollars. The stockholders voted to increase the capital stock from \$107,000 to \$200,000, and the surplus fund from \$45,000 to \$70,000, which will make the bank one of the strongest on the coast. Messrs. D. A. Bender, G. W. Mapes, W. O. H. Martin, A. H. Manning and C. T. Bender were elected Directors for the ensuing year, the officers being the same as formerly. The Board declared a dividend of six per cent, amounting to \$6,000, from the earnings of the past six months, and added \$10,000 to the surplus fund of the bank, increasing the same from \$35,000 to \$45,000, carrying forward \$1,200, undivided profits.

Accident on the Union Pacific.
A disastrous collision is reported to have occurred on the Union Pacific, near Rawlins, last Tuesday. The express train engine was partially crippled and running at a slow rate of speed, when a freight train crashed into the rear passenger coach, telescoping two emigrant cars, which caught fire and were burned. A Pullman sleeper next the emigrant cars also caught fire but it was pulled away and the fire subdued. A mother and child were taken out of the ruins dead, and three of the injured died after being rescued from the flames. The mercury was 20 degrees below zero when the accident occurred.

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